

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The allowance of Claims 22, 23, 31, 32, 36, 61 and 64 is noted and appreciated.

Claim 66 was objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but was indicated by the Examiner to be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 66 has been rewritten as new independent Claim 67 and therefore allowance of this claim is requested.

All the other claims pending in the case, including those previously withdrawn as being drawn to nonelected species, have been canceled without prejudice.

As indicated in the Advisory Action of March 21, 2006, this application is now in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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